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Sir:

The following is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2006. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following:

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Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

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